

# **35th REUNION**



**AGAWAM  
CLASS OF  
1956**



1956 - 1991

AGAWAM HIGH SCHOOL

35TH REUNION

OAK RIDGE COUNTRY CLUB

FEEDING HILLS, MASSACHUSETTS

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 1991

COCKTAILS/HORS D'OEUVRES 5:00 P.M.

DINNER 7:00 P.M.

REUNION COMMITTEE:

ELEANOR D'AMATO BALBONI

JOANNE MEISSNER BELTRANDI

ALBERT FINI

JOAN O'CONNOR MARTEL

WILLIAM MARTEL

BARBARA MEISSNER NICORA

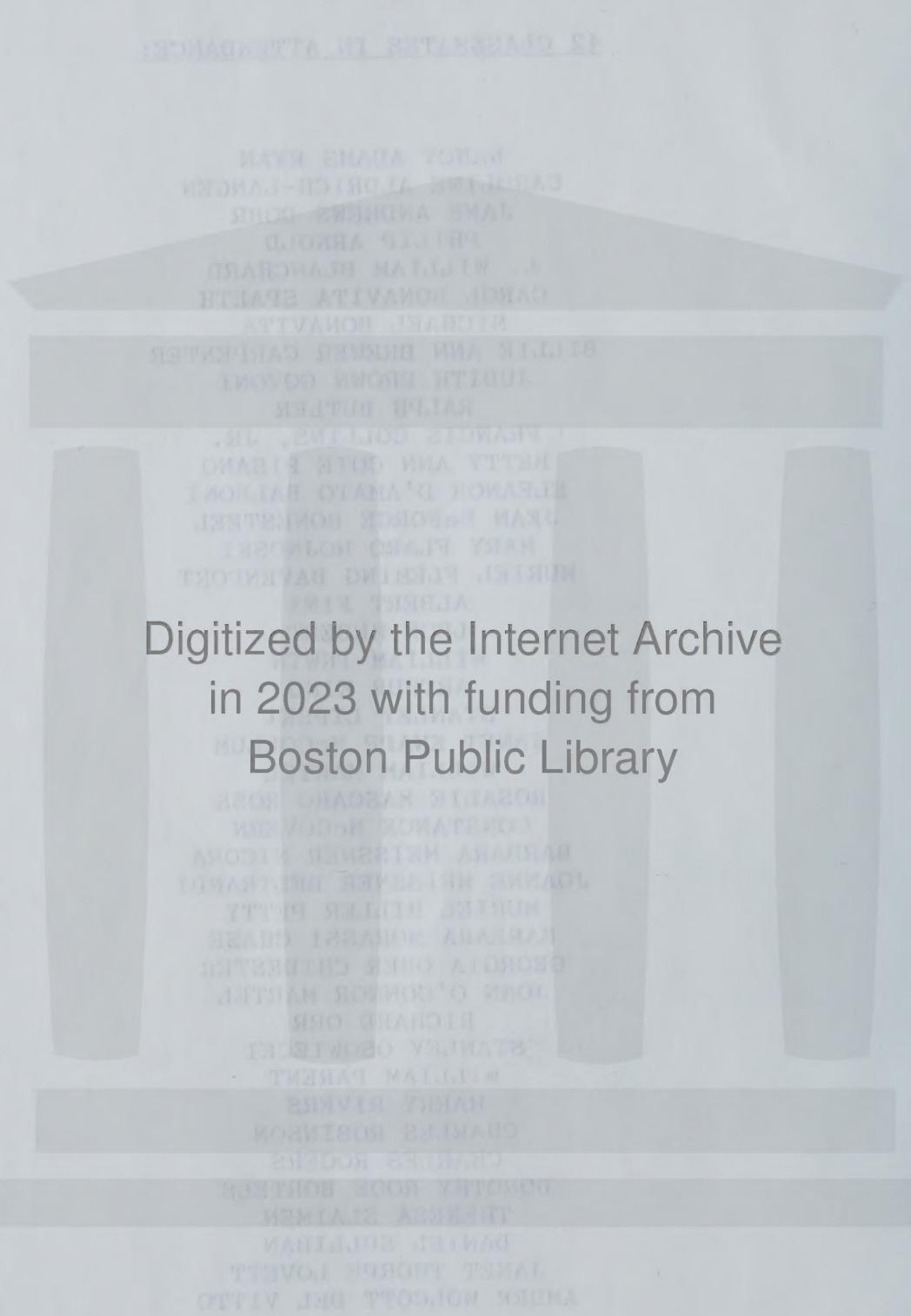
RICHARD ORR

BETTY ANN COTE PISANO



42 CLASSMATES IN ATTENDANCE:

NANCY ADAMS RYAN  
CAROLINE ALDRICH-LANGEN  
JANE ANDREWS DORR  
PHILIP ARNOLD  
L. WILLIAM BLANCHARD  
CAROL BONAVITA SPAETH  
MICHAEL BONAVITA  
BILLIE ANN BREWER CARPENTER  
JUDITH BROWN GOVONI  
RALPH BUTLER  
FRANCIS COLLINS, JR.  
BETTY ANN COTE PISANO  
ELEANOR D'AMATO BALBONI  
JEAN DeFORGE BONESTEEL  
MARY FLARO HOJNOSKI  
MURIEL FLEMING DAVENPORT  
ALBERT FINI  
LEON HEBERT  
WILLIAM IRWIN  
ARTHUR KING  
STANLEY LIPSKI  
JANET KNAPP McCOLLUM  
WILLIAM MARTEL  
ROSALIE MASCARO ROSS  
CONSTANCE McGOVERN  
BARBARA MEISSNER NICORA  
JOANNE MEISSNER BELTRANDI  
MURIEL MILLER PETTY  
BARBARA MORASSI CHASE  
GEORGIA OBER CHIDESTER  
JOAN O'CONNOR MARTEL  
RICHARD ORR  
STANLEY OSOWIECKI  
WILLIAM PARENT  
HARRY RIVERS  
CHARLES ROBINSON  
CHARLES ROGERS  
DOROTHY ROOS BORTELS  
THERESA SLAIMEN  
DANIEL SULLIBAN  
JANET THORPE LOVETT  
AMBER WOLCOTT DEL VITTO

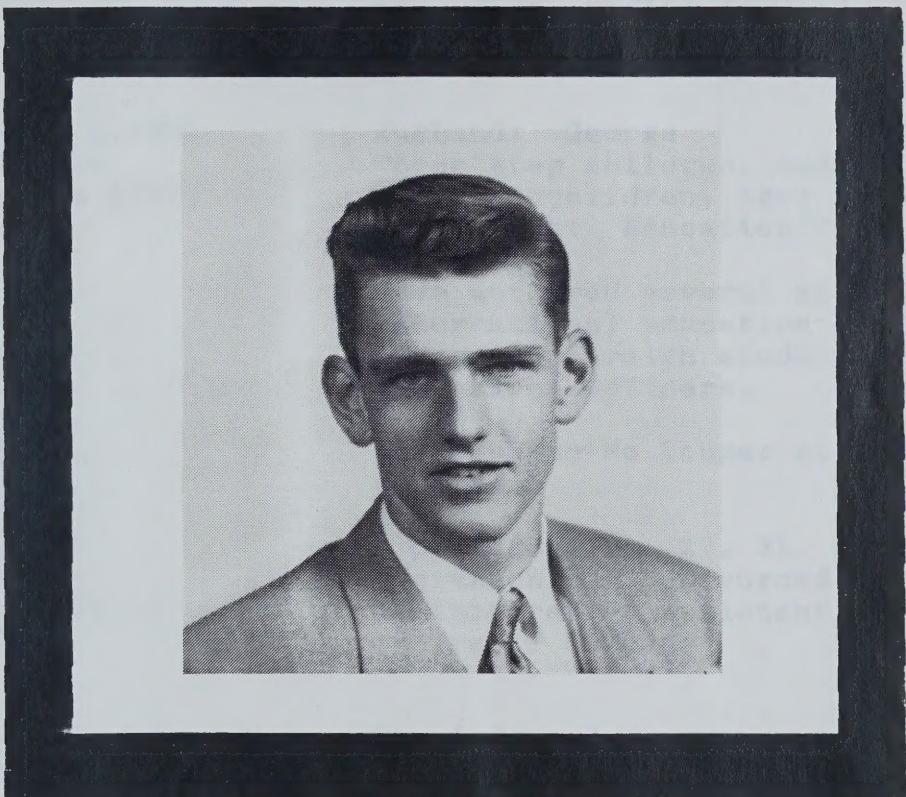


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1956 CLASSMATES

# IN MEMORY



EARL VAN WAGNER

July 30, 1938 - December 14, 1987



## 1956 CLASSMATES

NANCY ADAMS RYAN  
101 Baldwin Drive  
Hampden, MA  
566-3748 or 566-3506

Husband: Donald  
2 children; ages 19 and 30  
Occupation: Health Aid/Hampden Schools  
Spouse Occupation: Dimensional Analyst  
for Hamilton Standard.  
Hobbies: gardening, quilting, flower  
arranging, drying flowers, basket making,  
painting and collecting antiques.

CAROLINE ALDRICH LANGEN  
1017 Bryant Avenue  
Chico, California 95926  
(916)342-5388

Husband: George  
Three step children, and  
two grandchildren, ages 2 and 4  
Occupation: Education/Calif. State Univ  
at Chico.  
Have authored several studies of  
international education studies designed  
to assist foreign student advisers and  
admissions officers.

JOSEPHINE ALFANO

No response-No longer at last  
address.

JANE ANDREWS DORR  
67 Oak Street  
Franklin, MA 02038  
(716)528-3165

4 children: 21, 27, 31, 32  
1 grandchild. Divorced.  
Administrative Assistant/Conn. Mutual Life  
Insurance Company

PHILLIP ARNOLD  
31242 Bycroft Road  
Farmington Hills, MI 48331

Married to Judy  
3 children: 22-27  
Profit Analysis Manager/Ford Motor Co.  
Spouse: Insurance Manager/Assoc. Retinal  
Consultants  
Hobbies: Civic Involvement, Golf,  
Current Affairs

RICHARD ARNOLD  
24015 Eshelman Avenue  
Lomita, CA 90717  
(213) 530-8814

Questionnaire not returned, but Dick  
telephoned his regrets and is looking  
forward to our next reunion.

MARY BELCHER CALLAHAN  
6181 Plumosa Avenue  
Fort Meyers, FL 33908

No response



ROBERT BELTRANDI  
144 Village Lane  
Daytona Beach, Fl 32119

Married to Elaine  
3 Children: 23-30 years  
4 Grandchildren: 2-9 years  
Retired from Hartford, Ct. Police Dept.  
Spouse Occupation: Hairdresser-Owns and  
operates her own business.  
Now enjoying golf, the beach and working  
in the yard.

L. WILLIAM BLANCHARD  
222 CRANE HILL ROAD  
WILBRAHAM, MA 01095

Married to Jean  
3 Children, ages 20 - 26 years  
Occupation: Disabled  
Hobbies: Catching up on the things I  
wasn't able to do while I was sick-mainly  
the last 10 years. Enjoy making models, wood  
working, and wood carving. Looking forward to  
seeing everyone at the reunion.

CAROL BONAVITA SPAETH  
389 Gooseberry Road  
West Springfield, MA 01089  
737-1083

Married to Clyde  
4 Children: 17-31 years  
5 Grandchildren: 10 mo.-12 years  
Carol and her husband have been the owners of  
"Residential Cleaning Service, Inc. for 5 1/2  
years and employ 15 people.

MICHAEL BONAVITA  
169 Maynard Street  
Feeding Hills, MA 01030  
786-6443

Married to Gerri  
3 children: 32-21 years  
4 Grandchildren: 4-2 years  
Occupation: Claims Adjuster/Lindsey  
and Newsom. Enjoys bowling, bocce, and  
the four grandchildren that live nearby.

BILLIE ANN BREWER CARPENTER  
19 Forest Road  
Agawam, MA 01001  
789-0340

Husband: David Jr.  
1 child: daughter 21 years  
Billie Ann is a Homemaker  
Husband: Operations Analyst/Hamilton  
Standard.  
Hobbies: Student Exchange Program and The  
Agawam Chapter American Field Service.

RICHARD BRINN

Not able to locate

MARY BROOKS POND  
110 Tan Bark Road  
Windham, NH 03087

No response

JUDY BROWN GOVONI  
24 Willow Brook Drive  
Agawam, MA 01001  
786-1319

Husband: Victor  
2 Children: 22 & 24  
Realtor: Landry, Lyons & Whyte  
Husband: Self employed lawyer



RALPH BUTLER  
4 Elmcrest Street  
East Longmeadow, MA 01028

Married to Ann  
2 childred, ages 27, 30  
Occupation: Self-employed, Remodeling  
Contractor  
Spouse occupation: Medical Office  
Manager, Dr. Vanderleeden  
Hobbies: Antique car collector &  
restorer, Deputy Chief E.Longmeadow  
Vol. Fire Dept. 25 year member of Dept.

LAWRENCE CATANIA  
49 Doane Avenue  
Agawam, MA 01001  
786-4215

No response

RICHARD CEBRELLI

Unable to locate

PETER CECCHI  
102 No. Westfield Street  
Feeding Hills, MA 01030

No response

JOYCE CHRISCOLA  
11 Belcher Lane  
Rocky Hill, CT 06067  
(203)529-8414

No response

FRANCIS COLLINS, JR.  
945 Newton Street  
North Brunswick, NJ  
08902-2215

Widower  
1 child-19 years of age  
Case Manager, Reach Program  
Middlesex Co Board of Social Services  
in New Brunswick, N.J.  
Hobbies: Piano playing, reading, exercise.

PATRICIA CONNOR CAMP  
223 Woodmont Street  
West Springfield, MA 01089

No response

ELIZABETH ANN COTE PISANO  
185 Maynard Street  
Feeding Hills, MA 01030  
786-6459

Husband: Lawrence, Jr.  
3 Children: 31, 30, 22  
1 Grandchild: 9 years of age  
Occupation: Customer Service Dept/Sears Roebuck  
Spouse Occupation: Sales/Advo System

FAYE CUMMINGS

Unable to locate



ELEANOR D'AMATO BALBONI  
6 Old Mill Road  
Agawam, MA 01001  
786-4188

Husband: Ronald  
4 Children: 22-32 years  
Jeff, Valerie, Christine, & Cara.  
1 Grandchild: 6 years of age  
Eleanor works part time at Balboni's  
Bakery and does volunteer work for Loaves  
and Fishes soup kitchen, Alliance for Mentally  
Ill and is involved with Cancer Support Groups.  
Ronny is a probation officer at the Springfield  
District Court.

JEAN DeFORGE BONESTEEL  
9 Church Street  
Agawam, MA 01001  
786-3657

Husband: Irving  
3 Children: 30, 28, 24  
4 Grandchildren: 10 months - 10 years  
Occupation: Car rental Manager at Sarat Ford  
Husbands occupation: Mechanic at Sarat Ford

STANLEY DRZYZGA  
24 Stuart Place  
Westfield, MA 01085  
568-1898

No response

GERARD DUBUC  
257 Regency Park Drive  
Agawam, MA 01001  
786-1864

No response

ROBERT DUDLEY

Unable to locate

ALBERT FINI  
103 Mapleshade Avenue  
East Longmeadow, MA 01038  
525-2954

Wife: Marilyn  
4 Children: 20, 24, 25, 28  
Self-employed: Fini's Plant Farm  
Spouse occupation: Fini's Plant Farm  
Hobbies: "I still have my teenage  
obsession with going fast on anything  
with wheels. I have 2 motorcycles and  
8 antique cars & trucks including a red  
& white 55 Chevy Bel Air HT as I had in  
my Senior year. For many years I drove a  
race car under the name "Red Carr". I still  
have my last race car and am involved in  
events featuring antique race cars.  
Marilyn and I enjoy spending our time  
together at our cottage in S. Wellfleet.

MARY FLARO HOJNOSKI  
177 Lathrop Street  
South Hadley, MA 01075  
534-0119

Husband: George  
2 children: ages 19 and 15  
1 grandchild age 4 months  
Occupation: RN/Buckley Nursing Home  
Spouse Occupation: Retired



MURIEL FLEMING DAVENPORT Husband: Richard  
69 Rowland Road  
Old Lyme, CT 06371  
(203) 434-9088

2 Children: 26 & 28  
Occupation: Certified Ins. Counselor/Tracy Agcy.  
Occupation of Spouse: Mgr/Northeast Utilities  
Muriel reports that her achievements are her two great kids. She and Dick also love the Theatre, boating, and traveling- -like to Australia!

LILLIAN FOURNIER HOWE  
1024 Blanford Road  
Russell, MA 01071

Unable to attend  
Husband: David

JEANETTE FURLANI PLATANITIS  
101 Highland Street  
Feeding Hills, MA 01030

No response  
Info taken from 1986

DONALD GOULD  
5-1 Tuck Farm Road  
Auburn, MA 01501

Not able to attend.  
Married to Gail.  
4 Children: 16-24 years  
Don is Manager of Store Operations at T.J. Maxx  
Wife Gail is Sr. Inventory Control Administrator  
at T.J. Maxx. DON IS SORRY HE IS UNABLE TO  
ATTEND BUT SENDS HIS GREETINGS TO ALL.

LILLIAN HARRISON  
P.O. Box 77  
Galway, New York 12074

No response  
Info taken from 1986

JAMES HAUSER  
535 East Street  
Lenox, MA 01240

No response  
Info taken from 1986

JOHN HAUSER  
26 Poinsettia Street  
Agawam, MA 01001

No response  
Info taken from 1986



JERRY HAYNES

Unable to locate

LEON HEBERT  
1401 Kings Road  
Cantonment, FL 32533

Wife: Pat  
3 Children: 28, 26, 23  
1 Grandchild: 2 years of age  
Leon is Plant Manager of Monsanto in Pensacola, Florida.

MYRNA HYLAND CROWLEY  
27 Hillside Road  
South Harwich, MA 02661

Unable to attend  
Husband: Frank  
3 children ranging in age from 17-28  
3 grandchildren: ages 2 months - 4 yrs.  
Occupation: Children's Librarian/Sturgis Library, Barnstable.  
Spouse Occupation: Toolmaker/Augat in Mashpee, MA

WILLIAM IRWIN  
40 Ruskin Street  
Chicopee, MA 01020

Wife: Ann  
Occupation: Manager/James River Graphics  
Occupation of Spouse: Marketing/Monsanto

CAROLYN JACQUES SZCZEBAK  
89 Athol Street  
Springfield, MA 01107

Unable to attend  
Husband: Francis  
2 Children: 26, 31  
3 Grandchildren: 2, 4, 5 years of age  
Occupation: Paraprofessional/City of Spfld.  
Spouse Occupation: President/The Rug Store

BARBARA KARAKLA LAMBERT  
178 Post Office Road  
Unit #26, Vintner Place  
Enfield, CT 06082  
(203)7417621

Unable to attend  
Husband: James  
2 Childred: 28, 30 years of age  
2 Grandchildren: 3, 8 years of age  
Barbara is a Homemaker.  
Husband is a Pipe Fitter with United Technologies  
BARBARA AND JIM ARE UNABLE TO ATTEND, BUT SEND THEIR BEST TO EVERYONE.

ARTHUR KING  
9 White Street  
Southwick, MA 01077

Wife: Christine (Pat)  
3 Children: 21-30  
Occupation: Engineer/ABB Combustion

GEORGIA KING

Unable to locate



JANET KNAPP McCOLLUM  
13055 Flamingo Terrace  
Palm Beach Gardens, Fl 33410

Widow  
4 Children: 22-32  
5 Grandchildren: 6 months - 12 years  
Occupation: Registered Nurse in Cardiac Unit  
of Palm Beach Gardens Medical Center.  
Hobbies: Likes to travel, ski, golf, and  
recently acquired a horse and does quite a bit  
of riding, also enjoys hiking.

CAROL KOSSICK LETOURNEAU  
259 Steiger Drive  
Westfield, MA 01085

No response  
Info taken from 1986

CHESTER KRYGOWSKI  
40 Marshall Road  
Windsor Locks, CT 06096

Not able to attend  
Wife: Maureen Scully  
2 sons, 19 and 20  
Occupation: Machinist/Pratt & Whitney  
Spouse Occupation: Secretary/Board of Education

AUDREY LaCOURSE GRACIE  
496 Chicopee Street  
Chicopee, MA 01030

No response  
Info taken from 1986

SUSAN LaFRANCIS ANDERSON  
4102 Southern Hills Drive  
Omaha, Nebraska 68147

No response  
Info taken from 1986

CAROL LEGER AVERSA  
1941 S. W. 68 Terrace  
Pompano Beach, FL 33063

No response  
Info taken from 1986

STANLEY LIPSKI  
207 Hart Lane  
Nashville, TN 37207

Wife: Janice  
Four children: 30-4, 1 Grandchild  
Occupation: Self-employed  
Spouse Occupation: Homemaker

BERTHA LONGEY LEIDERMAN  
312 Rue De Los Arboles  
Thousand Oaks, CA 91360

No response  
Info taken from 1986



MARY MAGOVERN ZIMMERMAN  
2564 Dell Road  
Louisville, KY 40205

Not able to attend  
3 Children: 25, 24, 22  
Occupation: Psycho Therapist/Private Practice  
Spouse Occupatin: Minister/Douglass Blvd.  
Christian Church. MARY REPORTS THAT THEIR  
BIGGEST ACHIEVEMENT IS GETTING THEIR  
YOUNGEST CHILD THROUGH BOSTON UNIVERSITY  
AND ON TO MED SCHOOL. SHE ALSO SAID THEY  
WENT TO THE KENTUCKY DERBY THIS YEAR BUT  
HAD THE WRONG HORSE!!

JOAN MARSHALL SAVELLE

Unable to locate

WILLIAM MARTEL  
80 Doane Avenue  
Agawam, MA 01001  
786-2035

Wife: Joan O'Connor  
3 Boys: 25, 27, 29  
2 Grandchildren: Boys 13 and 15  
Occupation: Co-owner/Manager Southgate Liquors  
in Agawam.  
Spouse: See Joan O'Connor  
Hobbies: Enjoy working in yard and traveling.

ROSALIE MASCARO ROSS  
167 Edgewater Road  
Agawam, MA 01001

Husband: Paul L.  
2 Children: 24 and 28 years of age  
Occupation: Cafeteria worker/Agawam Jr. High  
School.  
Spouse Occupation: Sr. Systems Engineer/IBM  
Achievements: 33 years married, 2 married  
children.  
They enjoy round dancing, square dancing and  
and traveling.

ROSEMARIE MAZZA DOUGLAS

Unable to locate

CONSTANCE McGOVERN  
132 Iroquois Avenue  
Essex Junction, VT 05452

Professor/Vice Provost University of Vermont  
Achievements: Ph. D. in History, Faculty member  
at the University of Vermont and currently Vice  
Provost. Has written one book entitled "Masters  
of Madness", and several articles.

BARBARA MEISSNER NICORA  
36 Old Mill Road  
Agawam, MA 01001

Husband: Chester  
3 Children: 2 girls, 1 boy, ages 21 - 30  
3 Grandchildren: 2 boys, 1 girl, ages 8 mo-3 1/2  
Occupation: Secretary/Suburban Appraisal Company  
Spouse Occupation: Self-employed Real Estate  
Appraiser/Suburban Appraisal Company.



JOANNE MEISSNER BELTRANDI  
2 Plantation Drive  
Agawam, MA 01001  
786-5190

Widow of John Beltrandi  
3 Children: Debbi-34, John III-33, Joe-25  
5 Grandchildren: Jay-12, Jeremy-10, Janelle-8,  
Anthony-7, and Joanne (my namesake) is 5 going  
on 20!  
Occupation: Assistant Executive Director/Agawam  
Housing Authority. Organist/Choir Director  
at St. Anthony Church in Agawam for approx  
26 years. (Have 2 classmates in my choir!).  
Hobbies: Enjoy my children and grandchildren,  
like to read, do some traveling and vacationing  
when time allows. Also do calligraphy and  
wearable art.

JOYCE MERCADANTE COUGHLIN  
168 Franklin Street  
Feeding Hills, MA 01030

Unable to attend  
Husband: Ralph  
2 sons: 32, and 33.  
4 Grandchildren: 2 months- 5 1/2 years.  
Occupation: Bookkeeper/Homemaker  
Spouse Occupation: Manager/N.E. Telephone

MURIEL MILLER PETTY  
Edge of Woods Road  
Water Mill, N.Y. 11976

Husband: William  
3 Children: 30, 28, 21  
1 Grandchild: 2 months  
Occupation: Homemaker  
Spouse Occupation: Owner/W.J. Petty & Sons, Inc.

DAVID MONAGHAN

Unable to locate

BARBARA MORASSI CHASE  
36 Memorial Drive  
Feeding Hills, MA 01030

Husband: Art  
4 Children 34, 31, 29, 27.  
4 Grandchildred: 3 months - 3 1/2 years  
Occupation: Insurance billing clerk at  
Feeding Hills Pharmacy.  
Spouse Occupation: Carpenter/Self-employed  
Grandchildren keep them busy.

WILLIAM MORGAN  
297 Morgan Road  
West Springfield, MA 01089

No response  
Infor from 1986

BARBARA G. MURPHY  
211 Greentree Park Drive  
Charlottesville, VA 22901

Occupation: Law Librarian/University of Virginia  
Achievements/Hobbies: Collects North American  
V.I.B. (Teddy Bears); collect Fiestaware; enjoy  
playing Sierra Adventure Computer Games.



GEORGIA MAE OBER CHIDESTER  
19251 Brookhurst St. Sp. 36  
Huntington Beach, CA 92646

Husband: James B.  
3 Childred: 2 stepsons- 37, 1 deceased,  
1 daughter-22 years of age.  
Occupation: Senior Library Clerk/Huntington  
Beach City Library  
Spouse Occupation: Custodial Forman/Huntington  
Beach High School.  
Achievements & Hobbies: MARRIED 26 YEARS.  
BEFORE MARRIAGE GRADUATED FROM BRIGHAM  
YOUNG UNIVERSITY. WORKED 2 1/2 YRS. SPRINGFIELD  
MA BOOKMOBILE. ENJOY READING, MOVIES; AND HAVE  
JUST MOVED INTO A NEW MOBILE HOME IN ANTICIPATION  
OF RETIREMENT.

JAMES OEKY

Unable to locate

JOAN O'CONNOR MARTEL  
80 Doane Avenue  
Agawam, MA 01001  
786-2035

Husband: William  
3 sons: 25, 27, 29  
2 grandsons: 13 and 15.  
Occupation: At home and part time in business.  
Occupation of Spouse: See William Martel  
Achievements/hobbies: WORKING WITH HUSBAND  
KEEPES ME BUSY BUT STILL ENJOY OUR FAMILY AND  
HOME HERE IN AGAWAM AND ALSO IN FLORIDA. LIKE  
TRAVELING AND GOING TO "OUT OF THE WAY" PLACES.

THOMAS O'KEEFE  
32 Mill Street  
Agawam, MA 01001

Questionnaire not returned  
Wife: Carol  
Info taken from 1986

RICHARD ORR  
449 Mapleton Avenue  
Suffield, CT 06078  
(203)668-5438

Wife: Linda  
2 Children: 25, & 29  
2 Grandchildren: 1 1/2, 7 years  
Occupation: Self-employed Accountant  
Spouse Occupation: Teacher/Agawam

STANLEY OSOWIECKI  
949 Bridge Street  
Suffield, CT 06078

(Known to most as "Sonny")  
Wife: "Margie"  
2 Children: 20-23  
Occupation: Telecommunications/Hamilton Std.  
Spouse Occupation: Sec/Sacred Heart Church.  
Achievements/Hobbies: Asst. Chief of Operations  
Suffield Volunteer Ambulance Assoc. Past Pres  
Suffield Jaycees, Past Chairman, Social Services  
Town of Suffield.



WILLIAM PARENT  
4 Burnett Street  
Granby, MA 01033

Wife: Irene  
4 Children: 16-23  
Occupation: Firefighter Lieut./City of Agawam  
Spouse Occupation: Lodging/Granby, MA  
Hobbies: Deep Sea Fishing

BEVERLY PAUZE GELDORF  
29827 Fitch Avenue  
Cyre Country, CA 91351

Unable to attend  
Husband: John  
1 Child: 22 years of age  
1 Grandchild: 5 years of age  
Occupation: Insurance Spec./Farmers Insurance  
Spouse Occupation: Owns A/C Radiator Shop

BARBARA PEPE CARPINO

Unable to locate

ALBERT PERRAH, JR.

Unable to locate

RICHARD PERKINS  
P.O. Box 747  
Agawam, MA 01001

Unabale to attend  
Wife: Judith  
4 Children: 19-32  
Occupation: U.S. Postal Service

BEVERLY PLOOF COSTA  
8 Salem Road  
Southwick, MA 01077

No response  
Info taken from 1986

LAWRENCE POHNER

Unable to locate

WILLIAM PONUSKY

Unable to locate

F. DICKSON PREW  
14850 N.W. 44th Court #240  
Miami, FL 33054-2327

Unable to attend  
Single and no children  
Occupation: President/Agency Manager-Southeast  
Insurance Center. Plans to retire in 7 years.  
Achievements/Hobbies: Operates his own  
Beechcraft Bonanza, 27' Catalina sailboat.  
works on various charity activities and the  
Alumni Clubs at Univ. of Miami. Extended  
travel plans for the future.  
KINDEST PERSONAL REGARDS TO THE CLASS OF 1956.



PHYLLIS RADWILOWICZ  
PARLENGAS

No response

JANICE RESKE MANSON  
188 Rowley Street  
Agawam, MA 01001

No response

HARRY RIVERS  
347 Apremont Highway  
Holyoke, MA 01040

Single  
2 Children: 20, 24  
Occupation: 1st piece Inspector/Phelon Co., Inc.  
Hobbies: Sports

HELENA L. ROBBINS

Unable to locate

CHARLES ROBINSON  
1168 River Road  
Agawam, MA 01001

Wife: Joan  
3 married children  
Occupation: General Manager/T.F. Cushing  
Spouse Occupation: Secretary to Sr. V P/Fleet  
Nor Star.

JUDITH ROBINSON HAWES  
R.F. #1  
Hudson, N.Y.

Unable to attend  
Husband: David  
2 Children: 29, 31  
First Grandchild on the way!  
Occupation: Dept. of Soc. Services  
Spouse Occupation: C.E.O./Farm Credit  
Achievements/Hobbies: Member of Board for  
Home for the Aged in Hudson, Member of  
Advisory Council Commissioner of Social  
Services. When time permits, love flower  
gardening, swimming and reading.

CARMEN RODIO

Unable to locate

CHARLES R. ROGERS  
295 Allen Street  
East Longmeadow, MA 01028

2 Children: 23 & 25  
Divorced  
Occupation: Lithographer/Graphic Sales  
Hobbies: Hunting and Fishing



DOROTHY ROOS BORTELS  
20 Wayne Drive  
East Lyme, CT -6333

Husband: Wilhelm H.  
4 Children: 25-33  
Occupation: Chef/Conn. College  
Spouse Occupation: Scientist/Naval Underwater  
Systems Center.  
Achievements/Hobbies: Lived 4 years in Europe,  
3 years in Asia, 1 year in Australia. Have also  
visited Africa and South America. Finally made  
all 6 continents and still have my arms and legs  
intact! LOOKING FORWARD TO SEEING ALL OF YOU  
AT THE REUNION.

CAROL SCHMIDT GREENWOOD  
27 Darby Drive  
Westfield, MA 01085

Unable to attend  
Widow  
2 Children in their 30's  
1 Grandchild 8 years old  
Occupation: Clerk/Steigers

HARRIET SHEA ASPDEN  
1 Ridgecrest Circle  
Westfield, MA 01085

Unable to attend  
Husband: Walter  
Occupation: Teacher/Agawam  
Spouse Occupation: Self-employed Inspector  
Achievements/Hobbies: "TAUGHT SCHOOL FOR  
31 YEARS, MARRIED TO A WONDERFUL MAN AND  
ENJOY MY LIFE".

THERESA SLAIMEN  
41 Poplar Street  
Feeding Hills, MA 01030

Single  
1 Child-25 years of age  
Occupation: Cashier/Waldbaum's in West Hartford  
Hobbies: Doll and Art Collector

GORDON SMARSE

Unable to locate

RICHARD STAHL  
3 Fox Hill Lane  
East Sandwich, MA 02537

No response  
Info from 1986

DANIEL SULLIVAN  
178 Pondview Drive  
Chicopee, MA 01020

Wife: Regina  
2 Children: 27 and 28 years old  
Occupation: Post Master/Granby, MA  
Spouse Occupation: Teacher/Chicopee, MA



MARION TEMPLEMAN  
c/o Rita Templeman  
Snow Hill Farm  
Box 344  
East Otis P.O., MA 01029

As of 12/90, Marty joined Mother Teresa's Missionary Sisters and cannot come home for 10 years. She spent 3 months in Bronx, NY and now 3 months in Plainfield, N.J. She will spend the next 3 years in the states and after that could be anywhere in the world. Order is a missionary one, very cloistered and the sisters beg for food as the elderly and poor do that they work with. Marions Mother says that this is what she has been looking for and is very happy.

JANET THORPE LOVETT  
285 Gravelly Hill Road  
Wakefield, R.I. 02879

Husband: William  
Children: 3 mine, 3 his, 2 ours-adopted  
Ages range from 9 months to 30 years.  
First Grandchild expected in July.  
Occupation: Household Engineer-at home.  
Spouse Occupation: Self-employed Consultant  
Achievements/Hobbies: Fostered 23 children.  
Organized & member of 2 foster parent support groups.  
Active in caring for women with crisis pregnancies and pro-life organizations,  
Social Awareness committee at church and teach 2 & 3 year olds sunday school.  
Walk 3 miles a day---pushing stroller.  
Provide for and enjoy house guests often.

EARL VAN WAGNER

DECEASED 12/14/87  
Spouse: Theresa (Terry) Ryan from Agawam  
6 children: Earl (Skip) 31, Eric 28,  
Richard 27, James 25, Daniel 13, and  
Katie 11 years of age.  
3 Grandchildren: Dana, Michael and Kyle.  
Earl was one of our FFA members and continued to be active in the Florida FFA.  
Earl & Terry were the owner/operators of one of the largest Dairy Farms in Florida.  
Terry continues to run the business along with their children.

LEO VERGNANI

No response

AMBER WOLCOTT DEL VITTO  
2194 Hwy 550  
Aztec, NM 87410

Married to Enrique  
Occupation: Art Teacher/RETIRED!  
To keep busy, does part-time work as a Counselor for Nutri/Systems, and has a small business in Honey products.  
Husbands occupation: Beekeeper  
Amber is retired after 27 years teaching in Central American and the Navajo Indian Reservation. Has done much foreign travel.



JANE DURKAN  
37 Edgewater Road  
Agawam, MA 01001

WE ARE DELIGHTED THAT OUR CLASS ADVISOR  
IS WITH US TO HELP CELEBRATE OUR 35TH  
REUNION.

MISS ELEANOR MILLER  
56 Middle Street  
Hadley, MA 01035

Unable to attend

Greetings to the Class of 1956

The warmest good wishes to one of my favorite classes. I would love to be with you and hear first hand what the last 35 years have brought you, but I promised the Class of 1941, that if I were able, I would attend their 50th reunion on the same night. I would love to see those pictures of your dear grandchildren, to hear where you are living and what you are doing, and what plans you have for the next 35 years.

As for me, I have a very happy retirement in my dear Hadley with my nieces and nephew who spoil me and friends that I have known all my life.

Do come and see me. I live in the center of Town in the gray house next to First Church. If you ever go to the Hampshire Mall, Route 9 takes you right through the center of the Town.

Thank you for those happy years you gave me in Agawam.

With all good wishes for your future happiness.

(signed) Eleanor Miller



MISS EMILY McCORMICK  
471 Chestnut Street  
Springfield, MA 01107

Unable to attend

Dear Members of the Class of 56

I was so pleased to receive an invitation to your reunion. I should surely be happy to be with you.

I injured my left leg some time ago and still have to wear a miserable cast which keeps me pretty well confined.

I may not actually be with you, but shall spend the evening reviewing many happy times together.

Please say hello to everyone. I'd love to see any of the program material you have prepared.

I hear frequently from Miss Miller, Miss Moggio and Jane Durkan.

Each name on the committee was familiar and I'm so glad you listed both married and single names.

Have a wonderful evening.

Affectionately,

(signed) Emily McCormick

MARJORIE WARD  
350 Meadow St. #31  
Agawam, MA 01001

Unable to attend

Thank you for inviting me to your reunion. It is nice to be remembered after 35 years and I have many happy memories of your class.

Much as I hate to admit it, I think that my reunion days are over. It is difficult for me to go out in a large group. I get very tired and it does no seem wise to attempt it.

I am still living alone in my own apartment. My life is very quiet but pleasant and I enjoy seeing old friends. If you are down my way I shall love to have you stop in.

Have a wonderful time at your reunion. I shall be thinking of you.

Sincerely,

(signed) Marjorie Ward





